

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - USA, PITTSBURGH, PA.

Report of: [REDACTED] b7C

Date: 7/7/71

Office: PITTSBURGH, PA.

Field Office File #: 9-2330

Bureau File #: 9-52085

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT, Also Known As  
"A Stickler for Holy Justice,"  
Mr. Johnson, Nixon and Agnew,

Character: b7C

Threat to Blow up U.S. Supreme  
Court Building, 1:38 PM During  
Week of 4/5/71; ETAL

Synopsis:

EXTORTION; EXPLOSIVE INCENDIARY DEVICE

Handwriting samples and fingerprints of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] concluded not identifiable with writer of material  
instant matter. [REDACTED]Continued contacts with  
Federal and local law enforcement agencies, Pittsburgh, Pa.,  
vicinity, negative as to writer; no additional communication  
mailed, and no suspects developed.

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DETAILS:

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The Identification Division of the FBI, Washington, D.C., advised on May 7, 1971, that latent fingerprints in this matter were not identical with the fingerprints or [REDACTED] In addition, [REDACTED] fingerprints were not identical with latent prints previously submitted in connection with the "Plot to Bomb the Holy Rosary Church, Brushton, Pa."

67C

REPORT  
of the

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Pittsburgh (9-2330)  
Re: UNSUB; aka  
"A Stickler for Holy Justice;"  
EXTORTION

Date: May 25, 1971  
FBI File No. 9-52085  
Lab. No. D-710511006 KW  
D-710511015 KW

Specimens received 5/10/71

K9 One page of known handwriting of [REDACTED]

K10 One page of known handwriting of [REDACTED]

Specimens received 5/10/71

K11 Six pages of known handwriting of [REDACTED] b7c

ALSO SUBMITTED: Fingerprint card of [REDACTED]

## Result of examination:

Specimens K9 through K11 were compared with the questioned material submitted in the instant matter, and in the case entitled "Threat to Blow up U.S. Supreme Court Building 4/3/71, PID - RM" and in the case entitled "Plot to Bomb Holy Rosary Church, Brushton, Pa. 3/17/71, EED - RM," and nothing of significance was noted.

The Identification Division advised on May 28, 1971, that the latent fingerprints being retained in this matter are not identical with the fingerprints of [REDACTED]

b7C The Latent Fingerprint Section of the Identification Division advised on May 28, 1971, that documents handled by [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] contained no latent prints of value.

b7C The Washington Field Office of the FBI advised on May 28, 1971, that upon receipt of the bomb threat captioned, [REDACTED] "who has been identified as the writer of letters in instant matter, appropriate officials and agencies regarding this bomb threat were immediately advised and continued liaison has been maintained with these agencies since May 25, 1971, until May 28, 1971, and no pertinent information had been developed.

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REPORT  
of the

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Pittsburgh

Date: June 29, 1971  
FBI File No. 9-52085  
Lab. No. D-710617038 KWRe: UNSUB, aka  
"A Stickler for Holy Justice";  
Mr. JOHNSON, NIXON and AGNEW,  
et al. - VICTIMS;  
EXTORTION; FID-RM

Specimens received 6/15/71

674

K12 Three pages of known handwriting of [REDACTED]

K13 Envelope bearing the known handwriting of [REDACTED]

## Results of examination:

Due to unexplained variations in the comparable handwriting, it was not determined whether the writers of Q12 and Q13 prepared any of the questioned writing received in the instant matter or in the case entitled "Threat to Blow Up U.S. Supreme Court Building, 4-5-71, BM" or in the case entitled "Plot to Bomb Holy Rosary Church, Brushton, Pennsylvania, 3-15-71 EID-RM"

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During May and June of 1971, continuing efforts have been made to develop suspects in this matter with the U.S. Postal Inspector, U.S. Secret Service, Police Department, Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms Division, all Pittsburgh, Pa., as well as the McKeesport, Duquesne, and Homestead Police Departments. Contact with these agencies during this period failed to develop any information as to the writer of the letters involved.

No logical suspects to date have been developed.



FBI

Date: 11/18/71

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_

(Type in plaintext or code)

AIRTEL

(Priority)

Mr. Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Miller, E \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Dalbey \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Cleveland \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Ponder \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Bates \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Walters \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Soyars \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Miss Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Miss Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (ATTN: FBI LABORATORY AND IDENTIFICATION DIVISION)

FROM: SAC, WFO (9-2926) (P)

UNSUB: aka [REDACTED] b7c

U. S. Supreme Court - VICTIM

EXTORTION

OO:AX

711122067

Enclosed for the Bureau is the original and four xeroxed copies of an envelope addressed to the Supreme Court, U. S. Capitol, Washington, D. C. The envelope is unopened and apparently empty, but it bares the following statement beneath the address: "ON THE BUSING ISSUE, IF I COULD, I WOULD SHOOT ALL YOU BASTARDS".

Enclosed for Alexandria (which is designated Office of Origin) are two copies of the same material.

The Bureau has instructed that this matter must receive vigorous and continuous attention until fully resolved. A summary teletype, from the Office of Origin, must reach the Bureau by the close of business on 11/27/71, immediately followed by an LHM, from the Office of Origin, suitable for dissemination.

This material was received on 11/17/71, from SA [REDACTED] the Liaison Division, United States Secret Service (USSS), 1800 "G" Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. (WDC), by SA [REDACTED] WFO. USSS has made a check of their name files.

- ENCLOSURE
- ④ - Bureau (Enc. 5)
  - 2 - Alexandria (Enc. 2)
  - 2 - WFO

LSB:djw

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_

M Per \_\_\_\_\_

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and visual files of previously submitted letters with negative results.

On 11/18/71, SA [REDACTED] advised the following individuals of the captioned threat:

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
U. S. Capitol Police, WDC

Intelligence Division,  
Metropolitan Police Department  
WDC

REQUESTS OF THE BUREAU

The Laboratory Division is requested to search this material through the Anonymous Letter File and conduct other appropriate examination.

The Identification Division is requested to process this material for latent fingerprints.

LEADS

ALEXANDRIA

AT ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA. 1. Present to appropriate USA for prosecutive opinion.

2. Notify local authorities.

3. Each prosecution authorized, conduct appropriate investigation.

4. Submit summary teletype to Bureau by close of business 11/27/71.

5. Immediately follow teletype by LHM (or report if appropriate) suitable for dissemination.

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6. Insure WFO advised of USA's prosecutive opinion as soon as possible so that USSS may be telephonically advised.

WASHINGTON FIELD

AT WASHINGTON, D. C. Notify USSS of prosecutive opinion of USA upon receipt from Alexandria.

REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To:

SAC, Washington Field Office  
(9-2928)

November 26, 1971

UNSUB: aka. [REDACTED] b7c

Re: U. S. Supreme Court - VICTIM;  
EXTORTION  
OO: AlexandriaJ. Edgar Hoover  
John Edgar Hoover, DirectorEX-112  
REC-122

YOUR FILE NO.

FBI FILE NO.

9-53565-1  
D-711122067 JC

Examination requested by:

Washington Field Office

Reference:

Airtel 11/18/71

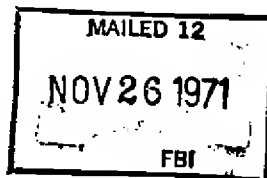
Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Specimen:

Q1 will be returned with the results of the  
latent fingerprint examination.

ENCLOSURE



Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Miller, E.S. \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Dalbey \_\_\_\_\_  
Cleveland \_\_\_\_\_  
Ponder \_\_\_\_\_  
Bates \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Walters \_\_\_\_\_  
Soyars \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Rm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

ENCLOSURE ATTACHED

Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

2-Alexandria Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

WLC:sg (6)

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54 DEC 13 1971MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Washington Field Office  
(8-2926)

Date:  
FBI File No.  
Lab. No.

November 28, 1971

D-71122067 JC

Re: UNSUB; aka,  
[REDACTED]

U. S. Supreme Court - VICTIM;  
EXTORTION

Specimens received

11/22/71

Q1 Envelope postmarked "NORTH 1971," bearing hand printed address "SupREME COURT U.S. CAPITAL WASH D.C."

## Result of examination:

Specimen Q1 was not identified with other submissions in the Anonymous Letter File.

No watermarks or indented writing was noted on Q1.

Q1 will be returned separately. Photographs are retained.

WLC:sg (6)

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RECORDED  
11/23/71  
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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NO LAB FILE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNSUB; aka. *b7C*  
[REDACTED]  
U. S. Supreme Court - VICTIM  
EXTORTION  
OO: Alexandria

File # *9-535-65-1*  
Lab. # D-711122067 JC

LATENT

Examination requested by: SAC, Washington Field Office (9-2926) A 11/18/71

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received: 11/22/71

Result of Examination:

*NIALF.*

Examination by: [REDACTED]  
*11/24/71*

*b7C*

Specimens submitted for examination

Q1 Envelope postmarked "NORTH 1971," bearing handprinted address  
"SupREME COURT U.S. CAPITAL WASH D.C."

*No ident ALF - NP upper case & mixture  
va. & surrounding states & DC 11/23/71 near*

*Physical Characteristics:*

*Blue ball point ink*

*no watermarks or indented writing*

*6.44 x 3.64 x .0050*

2 - Alexandria

*Lab Report  
11/26/71  
WLC:SG.*

RECORDED  
11/22/71  
JLJ

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NO LAB FILE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: **UNSUB; aka.**  
**U. S. Supreme Court - VICTIM**  
**EXTORTION**  
**OO: Alexandria**

File # **9-53565-1**  
Lab. # **B-711123067 JC**

LATENT

Examination requested by: **SAC, Washington Field Office (S-2926) & 11/18/71**

Examination requested: **Document - Fingerprint** Date received: **11/22/71**

Result of Examination:

Examination by: **[REDACTED]**

*LFPS - Return Q1/wae.*

*Spec returned and LFPS rep  
dated 12/3/71*

Received by LFPS  
*11/26/71*

Specimens submitted for examination

**Q1 Envelope postmarked "NOV 1971," bearing handprinted address  
"SUPREME COURT U.S. CAPITAL WASH D.C."**

**2 - Alexandria**

PHOTOGRAPHED  
NOV 23 1971

ARL. UA.

b7c



SUPREME COURT  
U.S. CAPITAL  
WASH D.C.

ON THE BUSING ISSUE, IF I  
COULD, I WOULD SHOOT ALL  
YOU BASTARDS.

D-711122067 Q1 JC



RECEIVED  
SUPREME COURT, U.S.  
MARSHAL'S OFFICE  
Nov 3 2 42 PM '71

204  
11/3/71

REC-1  
D-711122067  
Q113C

Airtel

3-15-74

To: SACs, WFO and Memphis

From: Director, FBI

UNSUB.:

THREAT IN LETTER POSTMARKED

SELMER, TENNESSEE 38375

2-20-74

AGAINST SUPREME COURT

EXT

WFO airtel 3-12-74, submitting envelope and letter.

Envelope and letter examined and one latent fingerprint of value developed on envelope, Q1, and four latent fingerprints of value developed on letter, Q2.

Although latent fingerprints of value for identification purposes, they lack sufficient classifiable pattern area to warrant search in single fingerprint file.

Specimens enclosed to WFO.

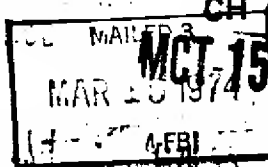
Laboratory report separate.

Enc. (2)

LWW:dmk

(5)

Assoc. Dir. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep. AD Adm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep. AD Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Asst. Dir.: \_\_\_\_\_  
Admin. \_\_\_\_\_  
Comp. Syst. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ext. Affairs \_\_\_\_\_  
Files & Com. \_\_\_\_\_  
Gen. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ident. \_\_\_\_\_  
Inspection \_\_\_\_\_  
Intell. \_\_\_\_\_  
Laboratory \_\_\_\_\_  
Plan. & Eval. \_\_\_\_\_  
Spec. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Training \_\_\_\_\_  
Off. of Cong. & Public Affairs \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Rm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Director's Sec'y \_\_\_\_\_



REC-111

ST-116

57306

15 MAR 18 1974

MAIL ROOM

TELETYPE UNIT

Recorded  
3-13-74  
brw

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Recorded 3-14-74 3:50 p.m. lvh  
Laboratory Work Sheet

Received  
3-14-74

NO LAB FILE

Re: UNSUB; Threat in Letter  
Postmarked Selmer, Tennessee 38375  
2/20-74 Against Supreme Court  
EXT

File # 9- 57206  
Lab.# D-740313051 PH  
LC#A-86693

L A T E N T

Examination requested by SAC: WFO/ (9-NEW) Airtel 3/12/74

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received: 3-13-74

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

Noted By:

3/14 hww  
Spec's provided 5x min - to photo lab (min)  
3/15 hww  
Spec's provided 5x - No additional lat prints of val devel. d  
Spec's retained  
1 lat fgpt of val devel. d on Q1 (min)  
4 lat fgpts of val devel. d on Q2 min  
5 lat fgpts not d TT  
Late to Fragmentary to search S file -  
Spec's sent d

b7c

- Q1 White envelope postmarked "SELMER, TN FEB 20 PM 1974 38375" and bearing the typewritten address "The Chief Justice, United Supreme Court, Washington, D. C."
- Q2 Sheet of white paper bearing the typewritten message Beginning "This letter is written..."

1. hww  
airtel  
3-15-74  
LW

Examination Completed 12:10 p.m. 3/15/74 Dictated 3/15/74  
Date Date



**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

To: **SAC, Washington Field Office (9-NEW)**

Date: **March 15, 1974**

From: **Director, FBI**

Re: **UNSUB; Threat in Letter  
Postmarked Selmer Tennessee 38375  
2/20/74 Against Supreme Court  
EXT**

FBI File No.

Lab. No. **D-740313051 P**

Examination requested by: **Washington Field Office**

Reference: **Airtel dated 3/12/74**

Examination requested: **Document - Fingerprint**

Remarks:

**Q1 and Q2 will be returned with the results of the latent fingerprint examination.**

**For your information, there is a mark below the first letter "T" in the word cotton which appears in the watermark. This marking is possibility for dating purposes relating to the manufacture of the paper; however specific information relating to this would have to be obtained from the Southworth Company.**

**ENCLOSURE**

**Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)**

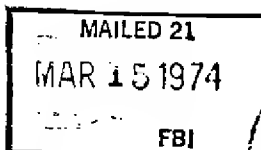
**2 - Memphis - Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)**

BLM: jsb  
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**REC-88**

**15 MAR 20 1974**

**ENCLOSURE ATTACHED**



**ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE**

**54 MAR 27 1974**

TELETYPE UNIT ☐

REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Washington Field Office (9-NEW)

Date:

March 15, 1974

FBI File No.

Lab. No.

D-740313051 PM

Re: UNSUB; Threat in Letter  
Postmarked Selmer, Tennessee 38375  
2/20/74 Against Supreme Court  
KXT

Specimens received 3/13/74

Q1 White envelope postmarked "SELMER, TN FEB 20 PM 1974 38375" and bearing typewritten address "The Chief Justice, United Supreme Court, Washington, D.C."

Q2 Sheet of white paper bearing typewritten message beginning "This letter is written..."

## Result of examination:

Q1 and Q2 were searched in the appropriate sections of the Anonymous Letter File with negative results. Representative copies will be added thereto.

It was determined that Q1 and Q2 were prepared on a typewriter equipped with a Royal brand pica style of type, spaced ten letters to the horizontal inch.

The stamp on Q1 originated from a coil of stamps.

Q2 contains the watermark "FOUR STAR BOND, SOUTHWORTH CO. U.S.A., 25% COTTON FIBER." This watermark is registered to the Southworth Co., West Springfield, Massachusetts.

Nothing else of significance was noted in the examination of Q1 and Q2 which would aid in determining their immediate source.

Q1 and Q2 are temporarily retained. Photographs are retained.

BLM: jsb  
(6)

Recorded  
3-13-74  
brw

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

NO LAB FILE

Re: UNSUB; Threat in Letter  
Postmarked Selmer, Tennessee 38375  
2/20-74 Against Supreme Court  
EXT

File # 9-57306-2  
Lab.# D-740313051 PN

LATENT

(9-NEW)

Examination requested by: SAC: WFO/ Airtel 3/12/74

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received: 3-13-74

Result of Examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED]

Q1 + 2 ALF neg added

found on a TW equip w/ a Royal brand <sup>finger</sup> stamp b7C  
of type spaced 10 sets to the right

Stamp on Q1 from coil

Watermark Q2 "FOUR STAR BOND SOUTHWORTH CO. U.S.A.,  
258 COTTON FIBER". This watermark is to be found on  
most of the [REDACTED] mass.

Nothing else of sig noted to be in set in source

Q1 + 2 stamp not. Photos

Q1 + 2 not of left

There is a mark in the 1st "T" in the word cotton in the watermark.  
This marking is for dyeing purposes relating to mass, however specific dyeing  
would have to be determined from the mass.

Q1 White envelope postmarked "SELMER, TN FEB 20 PM 1974 38375" and  
bearing the typewritten address "The Chief Justice, United Supreme  
Court, Washington, D. C."

Q2 Sheet of white paper bearing the typewritten message Beginning  
"This letter is written..."

PHOTOGRAPHED  
MAR 13 1974

2 - Memphis

Searched TW ALF - Royal 485 - Hate N.I. 3/13/74  
unclass Royal

8d stamp - coil

Pria Feb report

BU 14-556  
3-15-74

Examiner's Name [REDACTED]Date 3/13/74D # 7403130**Recognition Section:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 10. \_\_\_\_\_ 19. \_\_\_\_\_ 28. \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 11. \_\_\_\_\_ 20. \_\_\_\_\_ 29. \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. \_\_\_\_\_ 12. \_\_\_\_\_ 21. \_\_\_\_\_ 30. \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. \_\_\_\_\_ 13. \_\_\_\_\_ 22. \_\_\_\_\_ 31. \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. \_\_\_\_\_ 14. \_\_\_\_\_ 23. \_\_\_\_\_ 32. \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. \_\_\_\_\_ 15. \_\_\_\_\_ 24. \_\_\_\_\_ 33. \_\_\_\_\_  
 7. \_\_\_\_\_ 16. \_\_\_\_\_ 25. \_\_\_\_\_ 34. \_\_\_\_\_  
 8. \_\_\_\_\_ 17. \_\_\_\_\_ 26. \_\_\_\_\_ 35. \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. \_\_\_\_\_ 18. \_\_\_\_\_ 27. \_\_\_\_\_ 36. \_\_\_\_\_

**Master Section:**

Subsection Searched

Initial &amp; Date

Checks \_\_\_\_\_

Money Orders \_\_\_\_\_

Others \_\_\_\_\_

**Stolen Money Orders & Travelers Checks Section:**

Travelers Checks

Type

# From

To #

Money Orders \_\_\_\_\_

**Remarks:**

Royal # 485 Pico  
 Watermark Four Star Bond  
 Southworth Co. U.S.A.  
 25% Cotton Fiber  
 Southworth Co.  
 West Springfield, Ma.

Recorded  
3-13-74  
bww

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NO LAB FILE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: **UNSUB; Threat in Letter**  
**Postmarked Selmer, Tennessee 38375**  
**2/20-74 Against Supreme Court**  
**EXX**

File # **9-57306-2**  
Lab. # **D-740313051 PW**

**L A T E N T**

Examination requested by: **SAC: WFO/ (9-NEW)** **Airtel 3/12/74**

Examination requested: **Document - Fingerprint**

Date received: **3-12-74**

Result of Examination:

*Return*

Examination by: **[REDACTED]**

*B/M*

*3/12/74*

Received by LFPS

*Spec's repn of LFPS returned to WFO*  
*3/15/74*

- Q1 White envelope postmarked "SELMER, TN FEB 20 PM 1974 38375" and bearing the typewritten address "The Chief Justice, United Supreme Court, Washington, D. C."
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MAR 13 1974



FBI

Date: 3/12/74

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_

(Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
(ATTN: FBI LABORATORY)

FROM: SAC, WFO (9-NEW) (P)

UNSUB: Threat in Letter

Postmarked Selmer, Tennessee 38375,

2/20/74 Against Supreme Court

EXT

(OO:MS)

Enclosed for the Bureau is captioned letter. Enclosed for AX, and MS are two copies of letter. The threat consists of statements that UNSUB will pay six million dollars to have six (6) of your members killed.

The Bureau has instructed that this matter must receive vigorous and continuous attention until fully resolved. A Summary Teletype, from the Office of Origin, must reach the Bureau by Close of Business (COB) 3/22/74, immediately followed by an LHM, from the Office of Origin, suitable for dissemination.

This material was received from U.S. Secret Service Liaison Division. USSS has made a check of their name and visual files of previously submitted letters with negative results.

USSS is conducting an investigation to further identify the unknown subject so that it can be determined if he is a danger to government dignitaries protected by them.

On 3/12/74, SA [REDACTED] advised the following individuals of the threat:

[REDACTED] U.S. Supreme Court Police

3-Bureau (Enc. 1)

2-Alexandria (Enc. 2)

2-Memphis (Enc. 3)

2-WFO

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[REDACTED] Intelligence Division,  
Metropolitan Police Department (MPD), Washington,  
D.C. (WDC).

Following are addresses of Justices:

BURGER - [REDACTED]  
Arlington, Virginia.

WHITE - [REDACTED]  
Mc Lean, Virginia.

MARSHALL - [REDACTED]  
Falls Church, Virginia

BLACKMUN - [REDACTED]  
Arlington, Virginia.

REHNQUIST - [REDACTED]  
Mc Lean, Virginia.

The rest live in WDC.

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

The Laboratory Division is requested to search this material through the Anonymous Letter File and conduct other appropriate examination. Lab furnish results expeditiously to Office of Origin.

Identification Division is requested to process material for latent fingerprints. Furnish results expeditiously to the Office of Origin.

LEADS:

MEMPHIS

AT SELMER, TENNESSEE. 1) Present to USA for prosecutive opinion.

2) Notify local authorities and local USSS Office.

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3) Submit summary teletype to Bureau by COB 3/22/74, immediately followed by LHM (or report if appropriate) suitable for dissemination. Ensure WFO furnished copy so USSS Headquarters may be advised if USA authorizes.

ALEXANDRIA

AT ARLINGTON, MCLEAN AND FALLS CHURCH, VIRGINIA.  
Notify local authorities.

WASHINGTON FIELD

AT WASHINGTON, D.C. Telephonically notify USSS of prosecutive opinion of USA upon receipt of same from Office of Origin.

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SELMER, TN  
FEB 20 PM  
1974  
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The Chief Justice  
United Supreme Court  
Washington, D. C. 20510

PERSONAL:

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3/8/74

February 27, 1974

The Chief Justice  
United States Supreme Court  
Supreme Court Building  
Washington, D. C.

Mr. Chief Justice:

This letter is written through righteous indignation for members of a court I firmly believe will destroy our democratic way of life by doing away with all principles that have been the foundation of our culture.

I love this country, and while building my empire I devoted millions in time and money to insure a greater America for our future generations. At this point I am completely disillusioned by the rulings of the Supreme Court that have contributed most to the deterioration of our American way of life. You have devoted more time to the protection of criminals than law abiding taxpayers. The Courts may force the most learned attorney to take time out and represent the most worthless criminal. You have encouraged the more heinous crimes by abolishing capital punishment.

What is more cruel and unusual than the punishment now imposed on the Hearst family? If these Canibals are apprehended, the law enforcement officials can not inquire as to their names or identity until they have first provided them with competent counsel at the expense of the taxpayer they have offended.

The Hearst case is the last straw. I can stand no more! I have never broken the law, but I promise you here and now that if the Hearst girl is killed, or even molested, I shall make the necessary contacts, and pay immediately, six million dollars to have six of your members killed. That may shock this country back to reason and logic. Probably those that follow will spend less time protecting and encouraging criminals.

Do not be misled by this type. I have not typed in 50 years. This is typed on a machine over 1000 miles from my office, and will be mailed here. There will be no prints, but believe you me, I mean what I say.

You know my first, middle & last name.

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## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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| REPORTING OFFICE<br><b>MEMPHIS</b>   | OFFICE OF ORIGIN<br><b>MEMPHIS</b> | DATE<br><b>3/25/74</b>                | INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD<br><b>3/19 - 22/74</b> |
| TITLE OF CASE<br><b>UNSUB;<br/>THREAT IN LETTER,<br/>POSTMARKED SELMER, TENNESSEE<br/>38375, FEBRUARY 20, 1974<br/>AGAINST SUPREME COURT</b> |                                    | REPORT MADE BY<br><b>[REDACTED]</b>   | TYPE<br><b>bc</b>                           |
|  |                                    | CHARACTER OF CASE<br><b>EXTORTION</b> | <b>b7c</b>                                  |

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REFERENCED:

WFO airtel to Director and Memphis, 3/12/74.  
Memphis nitel to Director and WFO, 3/19/74.  
Memphis teletype to Director, and WFO, 3/22/74.

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LEADS:LOS ANGELES DIVISIONAT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

Will consider contact with the HEARST family if deemed advisable and ascertain if any letters received sympathetic with their problem and critical of the U. S. Supreme Court.

2) Will consider obtaining copies of all type-written letters received by the HEARST family and forwarding

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same to FBI Laboratory for comparison with instant matter.

WFO DIVISION

AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

Will interview individual receiving instant letter in the chambers of the Chief Justice and ascertain when received and disposition made of letter.

2) Will attempt to follow the chain of evidence in this matter.

3) Will also ascertain if Supreme Court Justice aware of threats, and if not, will so advise.

4) Will ascertain if any other typewritten letters critical of the threatening members of the Supreme Court have been received from this area recently.

5) Will arrange with individuals in the Chief Justice's chambers to be immediately notified if any typewritten letters critical of or threatening members of the court are received.

6) Will contact U. S. Secret Service and ascertain when letter received and what investigation conducted and what physical examination made of same.

MEMPHIS DIVISION

AT MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE

Will contact 

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2) Will maintain contact with U. S. Secret Service to ascertain if any logical suspects developed in this matter.

AT BOLIVAR, TENNESSEE

Will exhibit copy of instant letter to psychiatrist at the Western State Hospital and ascertain if any logical suspects can be developed among patients or out-patients of this mental institution.

AT SELMER, TENNESSEE

Will continue interview of citizens in the Selmer, Tennessee area in an effort to identify logical suspects.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

Three copies of this report are being designated for the Bureau in view of dissemination of this report to U. S. Secret Service in Washington, D. C. One copy of this report is being designated for U. S. Secret Service in Memphis, Tennessee.

For the information of all offices, the Bureau has instructed that this matter must receive vigorous and continuous attention until fully resolved. A summary teletype was required of the office of origin in this matter followed by a letterhead memo or report, suitable for dissemination. All offices should expedite investigation in this matter.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1-U. S. Secret Service, Washington, D. C.  
1-U. S. Secret Service, Memphis, Tennessee  
1-USA, Memphis, Tennessee

Report [REDACTED]  
Date: March 25, 1974

Office: MEMPHIS

Field Office File #: 9-1778

Bureau File #:

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;  
THREAT IN LETTER, POSTMARKED  
SELMER, TENNESSEE 38375,  
FEBRUARY 20, 1974 AGAINST SUPREME COURT

Character: EXTORTION

Synopsis: Letter received from U. S. Secret Service, Washington, D.C. Letter addressed to Chief Justice United Supreme Court, Washington, D. C., and postmarked Selmer, Tennessee 2/20/74. Letter contained threat and read in part, "I shall make the necessary contacts, and pay immediately \$6 million to have six of your members killed." USA, Memphis, Tennessee, contacted and advised instant matter should be investigated. He advised that if UNSUB is identified and is a resident of WDT, he would consider prosecution. On 3/19/74, SA [REDACTED], U. S. Secret Service, Memphis, Tennessee, was advised of instant matter. All postal employees at the Selmer, Tennessee Post Office interviewed, but no logical suspects developed. [REDACTED] Postmaster, recalls TBCI and Memphis PD investigating in approximately November, 1973, an anonymous handwritten letter, postmarked Selmer, Tennessee to the Memphis PD critical of their actions. Sheriff [REDACTED] McNairy County, Chief of Police, [REDACTED] Tennessee Bureau of Criminal Identification Agent [REDACTED] contacted but could furnish no information regarding instant matter. Interview with court officials and citizens of Selmer, Tennessee, developed no logical suspect in this matter.

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DETAILS:

This investigation is predicated upon receipt of information that a letter, postmarked Selmer, Tennessee, containing a threat to six members of the Supreme Court

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was received in Washington, D. C.

On March 12, 1974, the Washington Field Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation furnished a xerox copy of a letter obtained from U. S. Secret Service in Washington, D.C. This letter was addressed to the Chief Justice, United Supreme Court, Washington, D.C. and was postmarked Selmer, Tennessee, February 20, p.m., 1974, 38375. The letter was marked "personal"

The letter is typewritten and is set out as follows:

"February 17, 1974

"The Chief Justice  
United States Supreme Court  
Supreme Court Building  
Washington, D.C.

"Mr. Chief Justice:

"This letter is written through righteous indignation for members of a court I firmly believe will destroy our democratic way of life by doing away with all principles that have been the foundation of our culture.

"I love this country, and while building my empire I devoted millions in time and money to insure a greater america for our future generations. At this point I am completely disillusioned by the rulings of the Supreme Court that have contributed most to the deterioration of our american way of life. You have devoted more time to the protection of criminals than law abiding taxpayers. The Courts may force the most learned attorney to take time out and represent the most worthless criminal. You have encouraged the more heinous crimes by abolishing capital punishment.

"What is more cruel and unusual than the punishment now imposed on the Hearst family? If these Canibals are apprehended, the law enforcement officials can not inquire as to their names or identity until they have first provided them with competent counsel at the expense of the taxpayer they have offended.

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"Do not be misled by this type. I have not typed in 50 years. This is typed on a machine over 1000 miles from my office, and will be mailed here. There will be no prints, but believe you me, I mean what I say.

"You know my first, middle & last name."

It should be noted that the letter is completely typewritten with the exception of the numbers 20510 written after Washington, D.C. on the envelope.

On March 19, 1974, the facts of this matter were discussed with U. S. Attorney THOMAS F. TURLEY, JR., Memphis, Tennessee. Mr. TURLEY advised that this matter should be investigated. He advised that if the unknown subject is identified and is a resident of the Western District of Tennessee, he will consider prosecution.

On March 19, 1974, SA [REDACTED], U. S. Secret Service, Memphis, Tennessee, was advised of this matter by SA [REDACTED] of the Memphis Division at 4:50 p.m. SA [REDACTED] advised that he has a copy of the above-mentioned letter and that a search of it in their files revealed no known associate or logical suspects in this matter.

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On March 22, 1974, SA [REDACTED] was recontacted and advised that to date no suspects have been developed by his agency.

On March 19, 1974 and March 20, 1974, the following employees of the U. S. Post Office in Selmer, Tennessee were interviewed. All advised that they could not recall seeing any letter postmarked in Selmer, Tennessee addressed to the Chief Justice of the United Supreme Court, Washington, D.C.:

[REDACTED] Postal Clerk  
[REDACTED] Postal Clerk  
[REDACTED] Postal Clerk  
[REDACTED] Postal Clerk  
[REDACTED] Postal Clerk  
[REDACTED] City Carrier  
[REDACTED] City Carrier

[REDACTED], City Carrier  
[REDACTED], Rural Carrier  
[REDACTED], Rural Carrier  
[REDACTED], Rural Carrier  
[REDACTED], Rural Carrier

[REDACTED], Postmaster, Selmer, Tennessee Post Office, advised on March 19, 1973 that he does not recall seeing the above mentioned letter. He advised that the postmark on this letter contains p.m. which indicated the letter was stamped at the Selmer, Tennessee Post Office on February 20, 1974 between 12:00 noon and 6:00 p.m., when the Post Office closes.

He advised that the zip code written on the envelope does not appear to be the writing of any of his employees. He further advised that the zip code number 20510 is for the U. S. Senate in Washington, D.C. and not the U. S. Supreme Court. [REDACTED] advised that he knows of no one in Selmer, Tennessee who would be a logical suspect in this matter.

[REDACTED] recalled that in about November, 1973, the Tennessee Bureau of Criminal Identification and the Memphis Police Department came to the Post Office investigating an anonymous letter which had been postmarked in Selmer, Tennessee and sent to the Superintendent of Police in Memphis, Tennessee. He recalled that this letter was handwritten and was very critical of the Superintendent of Police regarding the disciplinary action he had taken against several policemen for their alleged misconduct with a prostitute. [REDACTED] advised that he does not know if that letter had any connection with instant matter.

On March 19, 1974 [REDACTED] McNairy County, Selmer, Tennessee, advised that Selmer, Tennessee has a population of 3,500 people and is primarily rural. He further advised that Selmer, Tennessee is approximately 15 miles from the Tennessee and Mississippi State Line and is located in the Western District of Tennessee.

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[REDACTED] advised that he knows of no one who would be a logical suspect in this matter. He stated there are numerous individuals who reside in McNairy County who are patients at Western State Hospital, but he knows of no one who has been writing any letters to Government officials. He stated he will be alert for any information in this matter.

On March 19, 1974, [REDACTED] Selmer, Tennessee Police Department, was advised of instant matter. He advised that he knows of no one who would be a logical suspect in this matter. He stated he will be especially alert for any information which might be of assistance in identifying the unknown subject.

On March 19, 1974, Tennessee Bureau of Criminal Identification Agent [REDACTED] Selmer, Tennessee, advised that he recalls accompanying a detective of the Memphis Police Department in an investigation of an anonymous letter, which had been handwritten and postmarked Selmer, Tennessee, addressed to the Superintendent of Police in Memphis, Tennessee. [REDACTED]

He stated that he does not know if the letter he investigated has any connection with instant matter.

The following citizens of Selmer, Tennessee were contacted on March 19 and 20, 1974 in an effort to identify the unknown subject. All of the persons contacted advised that they know of no one in this area who will be a logical suspect in this matter:

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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**TELETYPE**

8:50 PM NITEL MARCH 19, 1974 JMB

TO: DIRECTOR

WFO

FROM: MEMPHIS (9-1778) (P) 2P

UNSUB; THREAT IN LETTER POSTMARKED SELMER, TENN. 38375,  
FEBRUARY 20, 1974, AGAINST SUPREME COURT; EXTORTION. 00: ME.

RE WFO LETTER TO BUREAU AND MEMPHIS MARCH 12, 1974.

USA THOMAS F. TURLEY, JR., MEMPHIS, TENN., ADVISED  
MARCH 19, 1974, THAT INSTANT MATTER SHOULD BE INVESTIGATED.  
HE ADVISED IF UNSUB IS IDENTIFIED AND A RESIDENT OF THE  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE, HE WILL CONSIDER PROSECUTIVE  
OPINION. IF UNSUB IS A RESIDENT OF ANOTHER DISTRICT, THEN  
PROSECUTION WOULD LIE IN WASHINGTON, D.C., WHERE LETTER  
RECEIVED.

INTERVIEWS WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS, US POSTAL  
EMPLOYEES, AND PUBLIC OFFICIALS IN SELMER, TENN., DEVELOPED  
NO SUSPECTS. US SECRET SERVICE, MEMPHIS, ADVISED. SUMMARY  
TELETYPE FOLLOWS.

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IN VIEW OF USA TURLEY'S QUALIFIED OPINION BUREAU IS  
REQUESTED TO ADVISE MEMPHIS AND WFO WHETHER INSTANT MATTER  
SHOULD BE PRESENTED USA, WASHINGTON, D. C., WHERE LETTER  
WAS RECEIVED BY VICTIMS.

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TO SACS, MEMPHIS  
WFO

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FROM DIRECTOR, FBI 9-57306-5

UNSUB; THREAT IN LETTER POSTMARKED SELMER, TENNESSEE,  
38375, FEBRUARY 20, 1974, AGAINST SUPREME COURT; EXTORTION.  
OO: ME.

REMETEL MARCH 19, 1974.

SINCE U. S. ATTORNEY (USA), MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE, STATES THAT  
THREATENING LETTER IN THIS MATTER CONTAINS THREAT IN VIOLATION  
OF EXTORTION STATUTE, MEMPHIS SHOULD CONDUCT INVESTIGATION TO  
IDENTIFY UNSUB. IF UNSUB IDENTIFIED IN DISTRICT OTHER THAN  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE, CONSIDERATION SHOULD BE GIVEN  
AT THAT TIME TO PRESENTING MATTER TO USA, WASHINGTON, D. C.  
AS MATTER OF BUREAU POLICY, OFFICE FROM WHICH THREATENING LET-  
TER IS SENT IS DESIGNATED OFFICE OF ORIGIN.

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TELETYPE TO SACS, MEMPHIS AND WFO

RE: UNSUB; THREAT IN LETTER POSTMARKED SELMER, TENN. 38375,

NOTE: Letter postmarked Selmer, Tennessee 38375, 2/20/74, contained threat to have six members of the Supreme Court killed. The letter was forwarded to WFO from U. S. Secret Service. Memphis was instructed to present to USA. USA, Memphis, Tennessee, advised that instant matter should be investigated. He stated if unsub is identified and a resident of the Western District of Tennessee, he will consider prosecutive opinion. If unsub is a resident of another district then prosecution would lie in Washington, D. C., where letter received. Memphis requested Bureau to advise Memphis and WFO whether instant matter should be presented to USA, Washington, D. C., where letter was received by victims. Memphis and WFO advised not necessary to present to USA, Washington, D. C., at this time.

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2:40 PM URGENT MARCH 22, 1974 JMB MAR 22 1974

TO: DIRECTOR

TELETYPE

WFO

FROM: MEMPHIS (9-1778) (P) P

UNSUB; THREAT IN LETTER, POSTMARKED SELMER, TENNESSEE 38375,  
FEBRUARY 20, 1974, AGAINST SUPREME COURT, EXTORTION, OO: ME.

RE WFO AIRTEL TO BUREAU AND MEMPHIS, MARCH 12, 1974, AND  
MEMPHIS NITEL TO BUREAU AND WFO, MARCH 19, 1974.

INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM WFO THAT A LETTER POSTMARKED  
"SELMER, TENN., FEBRUARY 20, PM, 1974, 38375," AND ADDRESSED  
TO CHIEF JUSTICE, UNITED SUPREME COURT, WASHINGTON, D. C.,  
20510," AND MARKED "PERSONAL" WAS RECEIVED IN THE CHAMBERS OF  
THE CHIEF JUSTICE ON FEBRUARY 22, 1974 AT 2:41PM. LETTER IS  
DATED FEBRUARY 17, 1974 AND IS TYPEWRITTEN AND UNSIGNED. IT  
CONSISTS OF FIVE PARAGRAPHS, AND IN FOURTH PARAGRAPH IT READS  
IN PART "THE HEARST CASE IS THE LAST STRAW. I CAN STAND NO  
MORE! I HAVE NEVER BROKEN THE LAW, BUT I PROMISE YOU HERE AND  
NOW THAT IF THE HEARST GIRL IS KILLED OR EVEN MOLESTED, I SHALL  
MAKE THE NECESSARY CONTACTS, AND PAY IMMEDIATELY, SIX MILLION  
DOLLARS TO HAVE SIX OF YOUR MEMBERS KILLED.

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SA [REDACTED], US SECRET SERVICE MEMPHIS ADVISED OF THREATENING LETTER [REDACTED] ADVISED HE IS AWARE INSTANT MATTER AND HE HAS ALREADY RECEIVED COPY OF LETTER. HE ADVISED A SEARCH OF LETTER FILES BY THEIR INTELLIGENCE DIVISION REVEALED NO KNOWN ASSOCIATION. ALL POST OFFICE EMPLOYEES INTERVIEWED COULD NOT RECALL SEEING THREATENING LETTER. b7c

INTERVIEW WITH [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AND CITIZENS OF SELMER, TENN., FAILED TO DEVELOP ANY LOGICAL SUSPECT THIS MATTER.

FOR BUREAU, SELMER, TENN. IS RURAL COMMUNITY, POPULATION 3500 LOCATED IN MC NAIKY COUNTY, TENN., SITUATED IN SOUTHERN PART OF WEST TENNESSEE ON TENNESSEE- MISSISSIPPI  
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STATE LINE. US SECRET SERVICE ADVISED 4:50 PM, MARCH 19,  
1974 OF THREATENING LETTER BY SA [REDACTED] MEMPHIS  
DIVISION.

REPORT FOLLOWS.

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# MESSAGE RELAY

Date 3/26/74

Transmit in PLAINTEXT via teletype the attached URGENT message.  
(plaintext or code) (precedence)

FROM: Director, FBI

## FIELD DISSEMINATION

TO: RUEADWW/ ☐ The President  
 RUEADWW/ ☐ The Vice President  
                   ☐ Att.: \_\_\_\_\_  
 RUEADWW/ ☐ White House Situation Room  
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 RUEHOC/ ☐ Secretary of State  
 RUEAIIA/ ☐ Director, CIA  
 RUEKJCS/ ☐ Director, Defense Intelligence Agency  
                   ☐ and National Indications Center  
 RUEACSI/ ☐ Department of the Army  
 RUEBGFA/ ☐ Department of the Air Force (AFOSI)  
 RUEOLKN/ ☐ Naval Investigative Service  
 RUEADSS/ ☐ U. S. Secret Service (PID)  
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SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT; THREAT IN LETTER,

POSTMARKED SELMER, TENNESSEE 38375, FEBRUARY 20, 1974,  
 AGAINST SUPREME COURT, EXTORTION.

(Text of message begins on next page.)

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2:40 PM URGENT MARCH 22, 1974 JMB MAR 22 1974

TO: DIRECTOR

WFO

FROM: MEMPHIS (9-1778) (P) P

TELETYPE

UNSUB: THREAT IN LETTER, POSTMARKED SELMER, TENNESSEE 38375,  
FEBRUARY 20, 1974, AGAINST SUPREME COURT, EXTORTION, OO: ME.

RE WFO AIRTEL TO BUREAU AND MEMPHIS, MARCH 12, 1974, AND  
MEMPHIS NITEL TO BUREAU AND WFO, MARCH 19, 1974.

WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE

INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM WFO THAT A LETTER POSTMARKED  
"SELMER, TENN., FEBRUARY 20, PM, 1974, 38375," AND ADDRESSED  
TO CHIEF JUSTICE, UNITED SUPREME COURT, WASHINGTON, D. C.,  
20510," AND MARKED "PERSONAL" WAS RECEIVED IN THE CHAMBERS OF  
THE CHIEF JUSTICE ON FEBRUARY 22, 1974 AT 2:41PM. LETTER IS  
DATED FEBRUARY 17, 1974 AND IS TYPEWRITTEN AND UNSIGNED. IT  
CONSISTS OF FIVE PARAGRAPHS AND IN FOURTH PARAGRAPH IT READS  
IN PART "THE HEARST CASE IS THE LAST STRAW. I CAN STAND NO  
MORE! I HAVE NEVER BROKEN THE LAW, BUT I PROMISE YOU HERE AND  
NOW THAT IF THE HEARST GIRL IS KILLED OR EVEN MOLESTED, I SHALL  
MAKE THE NECESSARY CONTACTS, AND PAY IMMEDIATELY, SIX MILLION  
DOLLARS TO HAVE SIX OF YOUR MEMBERS KILLED.

END PAGE ONE

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USA THOMAS F. TURLEY, JR., MEMPHIS, ADVISED MARCH 19, 1974 INSTANT MATTER SHOULD BE INVESTIGATED. HE ADVISED IF ~~UNKNOWN SUBJECT~~ UNSUB IS IDENTIFIED AND A RESIDENT OF WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE, HE WILL CONSIDER PROSECUTION. ON MARCH 19, 1974,

SA [REDACTED] US SECRET SERVICE MEMPHIS ADVISED OF THREATENING LETTER. [REDACTED] ADVISED HE IS AWARE INSTANT MATTER AND HE HAS ALREADY RECEIVED COPY OF LETTER. HE ADVISED A SEARCH OF LETTER FILES BY THEIR INTELLIGENCE DIVISION REVEALED NO KNOWN ASSOCIATION. ALL POST OFFICE EMPLOYEES INTERVIEWED COULD NOT RECALL SEEING THREATENING LETTER. b7c

INTERVIEW WITH [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AND CITIZENS OF SELMER, TENN., FAILED TO DEVELOP ANY LOGICAL SUSPECT THIS MATTER.

FOR BUREAU, SELMER, TENN. IS RURAL COMMUNITY POPULATION 3500 LOCATED IN MC NAIKY COUNTY, TENN., SITUATED IN SOUTHERN PART OF WEST TENNESSEE ON TENNESSEE- MISSISSIPPI  
END PAGE TWO



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~~STATE LINE~~. US SECRET SERVICE ADVISED 4:50 PM, MARCH 19,  
1974 OF THREATENING LETTER BY SA [REDACTED] MEMPHIS  
DIVISION. b7c

~~REPORT FOLLOWS.~~

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Date: 3/27/74

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL  
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (9-1778) (P)  
SUBJECT: UNSUB;  
Threat in Letter Postmarked  
Selmer, Tennessee, 38375,  
2/20/74, Against Supreme  
Court  
EXTORTION

(00: Memphis)

Re FBI Laboratory Report dated 3/15/74.

A letter postmarked Selmer, Tenn., 2/20, P.M., 1974, 38375, addressed to Chief Justice, United Supreme Court, Washington, D. C. 20510, marked personal was received in the Chambers of the Chief Justice on 2/22/74 at 2:41 p.m. The letter was dated 2/17/74 and is typewritten and unsigned. The letter consists of 5 paragraphs and the 4th paragraph contains the statement, "If the Hearst girl is killed or even molested I shall make the necessary contacts and pay immediately, \$6,000,000 to have 6 of your members killed."

The letter was examined by the FBI Laboratory. The Laboratory advised the paper contained a watermark "Four Star Bond, Southworth Company, USA, 25% cotton fiber." Also noted was a mark below the first letter "t" in the word cotton which appeared in the watermark. The significance of this mark is not known but may be used for dating purposes, relating to the manufacture of paper. The above described watermark is

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registered to the Southworth Co., West Springfield, Mass.

The Bureau has advised this matter must receive vigorous and continuous attention until solved.

LEADS:

THE BOSTON DIVISION

AT WEST SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

Will contact representatives of the Southworth Company and ascertain distributors and dealers of above described paper in the Western part of Tennessee and Northern part of Miss.

Memphis contemplates contacting dealers and distributors in this area regarding this matter.

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You know my name

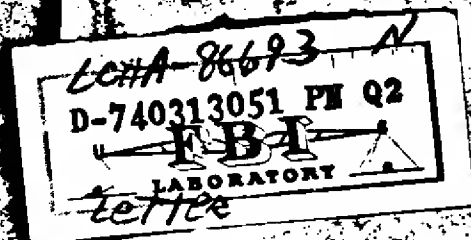


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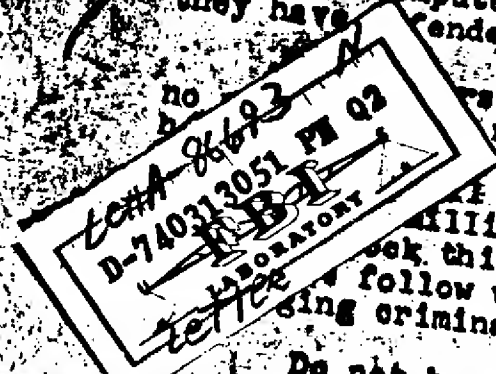
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Letter

The Chief Justice  
United States Supreme  
Court Building  
Washington, D. C.  
Mr. Chief Justice:  
This letter  
for members of a con-  
stitutional way of life



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| TITLE OF CASE<br><b>UNSUB;<br/>THREAT IN LETTER,<br/>POSTMARKED BELMER, TENNESSEE<br/>38375,<br/>2/20/74<br/>AGAINST SUPREME COURT</b> |                                    | REPORT MADE BY<br><b>[REDACTED]</b> <b>b7c</b> | TYPED BY<br><b>dlb</b>                       |
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REFERENCE:

Memphis report of SA **[REDACTED]** 3/25/74.

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MEMPHIS DIVISION

AT SELMER, TENNESSEE

Will continue efforts to identify Unsub.

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

To: **SAC, Washington Field Office (9-NEW)**

Date: **March 13, 1974**

From: Director, FBI

Re:

**UNSUB; Threat in Letter  
Postmarked Selmer, Tennessee 38376  
2/20/74 Against Supreme Court  
EXT**

FBI File No.

Lab. No.

**D-740313031 PS**

Examination requested by:

**Washington Field Office**

Reference:

**Airtel dated 3/12/74**

Examination requested:

**Document - Fingerprint**

Remarks:

**Q1 and Q2 will be returned with the results of the latent fingerprint examination.**

**For your information, there is a mark below the first letter "T" in the word cotton which appears in the watermark. This marking is possibly for dating purposes relating to the manufacture of the paper; however specific information relating to this would have to be obtained from the Southworth Company.**

**Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)**

**2 - Memphis - Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)**

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
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1 - U. S. Secret Service, Washington, D.C.  
1 - U. S. Secret Service, Memphis, Tennessee  
Copy to: 1 - U. S. Attorney, Memphis, Tennessee

Report of: SA [REDACTED] b7C  
Date: May 14, 1974

Office: Memphis, Tennessee

Field Office File #: 9-1778

Bureau File #: 9-57306

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;  
THREAT IN LETTER, POSTMARKED  
SELMER, TENNESSEE 38375,  
FEBRUARY 20, 1974 AGAINST SUPREME COURT

Character: EXTORTION

Synopsis: FBI Lab advised letter and envelope prepared on typewriter equipped with Royal brand pica style of type, space ten letters to the horizontal inch. Paper contained watermark "Four Star Brand, Southworth Company, USA, 25% cotton fiber." Two latent fingerprints developed on envelope and four latent fingerprints developed on letter. [REDACTED]

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D Threatening letter received from U. S. Secret Service, Washington, D.C. by letter dated 3/5/74. Investigation at Western State Psychiatric Hospital, Bolivar, Tennessee, Memphis, Tennessee, Police Department, and at Selmer, Tennessee, failed to develop any logical suspects.

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DETAILS:

REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Washington Field Office (9-NEW)

Date: March 15, 1974

FBI File No.

Lab. No.

D-740313051 PN

Re: UNSUB; Threat in Letter  
Postmarked Selmer, Tennessee 38375  
2/20/74 Against Supreme Court  
EXT

Specimens received 3/13/74

Q1 White envelope postmarked "SELMER, TN FEB 20 PM 1974 38375" and bearing typewritten address "The Chief Justice, United Supreme Court, Washington, D.C."

Q2 Sheet of white paper bearing typewritten message beginning "This letter is written..."

## Result of examination:

Q1 and Q2 were searched in the appropriate sections of the Anonymous Letter File with negative results. Representative copies will be added thereto.

It was determined that Q1 and Q2 were prepared on a typewriter equipped with a Royal brand pica style of type, spaced ten letters to the horizontal inch.

The stamp on Q1 originated from a coil of stamps.

Q2 contains the watermark "FOUR STAR BOND, SOUTHWORTH CO. U.S.A., 25% COTTON FIBER." This watermark is registered to the Southworth Co., West Springfield, Massachusetts.

Nothing else of significance was noted in the examination of Q1 and Q2 which would aid in determining their immediate source.

Q1 and Q2 are temporarily retained. Photographs are retained.

The FBI Identification Division, Latent Fingerprint Section, advised by letter dated March 15, 1974, that the envelope and letter examined and one latent fingerprint of value developed on envelope, designated Q-1, and four latent fingerprints of value developed on letter, Q-2. Although latent fingerprints of value for identification purpose, they lack sufficient classification pattern area to warrant search in single fingerprint file.

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The following investigation was conducted by the San Francisco Division:

It should be noted that Mr. and Mrs. RANDOLPH HEARST are currently in Mexico on vacation.

However, Agents who handle all the mail at the HEARST residence can recall no letter critical of the Supreme Court or any letter pertinent to the current Memphis investigation.

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Date of transcription 3/28/74

By letter dated March 5, 1974, received at The Washington Field Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation on March 8, 1974, Special Agent in Charge GARY M. MC LEOD, Liaison Division, United States Secret Service (USSS), enclosed the following material:

Letter addressed to Chief Justice of the Supreme Court postmarked Selmer, Tennessee, 38375, February 20, 1974.

A xerox copy of the letter is attached.

This material was received at USSS on February 28, 1974, from Chief Justice's Office. It is initialed by USSS Special Agent [REDACTED]

The above was retained by the Federal Bureau of Investigation as evidence.

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Interviewed on 3/8/74 at Washington, D. C. File # WFO 9-3365 9  
by SA [REDACTED] Date dictated 3/13/74

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PERSONAL:

The Chief Justice  
United Supreme Court  
Washington, D. C. 20510





February 17 1974

The Chief Justice  
United States Supreme Court  
Supreme Court Building  
Washington, D. C.

Mr. Chief Justice:

This letter is written through righteous indignation for members of a court I firmly believe will destroy our democratic way of life by doing away with all principles that have been the foundation of our culture,

I love this country, and while building my empire I devoted millions in time and money to insure a greater america for our future generations. At this point I am completely disillusioned by the rulings of the Supreme Court that have contributed most to the deterioration of our american way of life. You have devoted more time to the protection of criminals than law abiding taxpayers. The Courts may force the most learned attorney to take time out and represent the most worthless criminal. You have encouraged the more heinous crimes by abolishing capital punishment.

What is more cruel and unusual than the punishment now imposed on the Hearst family? If these Canibals are apprehended, the law enforcement officials can not inquire as to their names or identity until they have first provided them with competent counsel at the expense of the taxpayer they have offended.

The Hearst case is the last straw. I can stand no more! I have never broken the law, but I promise you here and now that if the Hearst girl is killed, or even molested, I shall make the necessary contacts, and pay immediately, six million dollars to have six of your members killed. That may shock this country back to reason and logic. Probably those that follow will spend less time protecting and encouraging criminals

Do not be misled by this type. I have not typed in 50 years. This is typed on a machine over 1000 miles from my office, and will be mailed here. There will be no prints, but believe you me, I mean what I say.

You know my first, middle & last name.

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CHIEF JUSTICE

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The following investigation was conducted by  
SA [REDACTED] at Bolivar, Tennessee:

On April 1, 1974, the following individuals were interviewed at Western State Psychiatric Hospital, Bolivar, Tennessee concerning the possibility that the unknown subject in this matter may have been a former patient, present patient or an outpatient at Western State Psychiatric Hospital.

[REDACTED]  
Western State Psychiatric Hospital  
Bolivar, Tennessee

[REDACTED]  
Western State Psychiatric Hospital  
Bolivar, Tennessee

b7c [REDACTED]  
Western State Psychiatric Hospital  
Bolivar, Tennessee

All individuals interviewed reviewed a copy of the letter received in this matter and advised that they know of no present patient, former patient or outpatient that could be considered suspects in this matter, stating this type letter indicated an intelligence level far above all patients treated at Western State Psychiatric Hospital.

[REDACTED] further advised outpatient rooming houses for outpatients of Western State Psychiatric Hospital are maintained at Counts, Tennessee and Savannah, Tennessee. [REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] operates the Morris Home, [REDACTED] Savannah, Tennessee, and at present only one outpatient is at the Morris Home. [REDACTED] advised there are 22 outpatients at the home of [REDACTED], Counts, Tennessee.

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[REDACTED] advised that none of the outpatients at either of these homes could be considered a logical suspect in this matter, stating that none of these outpatients had the mental ability to write a letter of this type or caliber.

On April 1, 1974, the following individuals advised they would furnish no logical suspects in this matter:

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[REDACTED]  
Bolivar Police Department  
Bolivar, Tennessee

[REDACTED]  
Hardemen County  
Bolivar, Tennessee

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The following investigation was conducted by  
SA [REDACTED] at Memphis, Tennessee:

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On March 29, 1974, and April 24, 1974, SA  
[REDACTED], U. S. Secret Service, Memphis, Tennessee  
was recontacted concerning any logical suspects in this  
matter, with negative results. SA [REDACTED] advised no logical  
suspects have been developed by his agency regarding this  
matter.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] advised he could provide no logical  
suspects in this matter, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

b7C.D

On April 19 and May 9, 1974, Sheriff [REDACTED] McNairy County, Selmer, Tennessee, and Chief of Police [REDACTED], Selmer, Tennessee Police Department, both advised that they have been unable to develop any logical suspects in this matter.

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On May 9, 1974, [REDACTED] Postmaster, Selmer, Tennessee, advised that no additional information has come to his attention since he was last contacted. [REDACTED] advised that all of his employees were advised to be on the lookout for any letters addressed to the U. S. Supreme Court. He stated that he has requested that he be notified of this and will immediately contact the FBI.

FBI

Date: 7/10/74

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-57306)

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (9-1778) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB;  
THREAT IN LETTER POSTMARKED  
SELMER, TENNESSEE, 38375,  
2/20/74  
AGAINST SUPREME COURT;  
EXTORTION

OO: MEMPHIS

Re Memphis reports dated 3/25 and 5/14/74.

A review of this case reveals all logical investigation  
has been conducted and no suspects developed.

On 7/8/74, USA THOMAS F. TURLEY, Jr., Memphis, Tennessee,  
advised he believes the FBI has conducted sufficient  
investigation in this matter and he does not desire any  
additional investigation.

In view of the above, this case is being closed in  
the Memphis Division and a closing report will be submitted  
with copies to U. S. Secret Service, Washington, D.C. and  
Memphis, Tennessee, UACB.

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15 JUL 15 1974Approved: *[Signature]*

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Special Agent in Charge

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| TITLE OF CASE<br><b>UNSUB;<br/>THREAT IN LETTER POSTMARKED<br/>SELMER, TENNESSEE, 38375,<br/>2/20/74,<br/>AGAINST SUPREME COURT<br/>United States</b> |                                    | REPORT MADE BY<br><b>SA [REDACTED]</b>    | TYPED BY<br><b>nkt</b>                          |
|   |                                    | CHARACTER OF CASE<br><b>EXTORTION b7c</b> |   |

REFERENCES: Memphis report of S [REDACTED] dated 5/14/74.  
Memphis airtel to Bureau, 7/10/74.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
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Copy to: 1 - U.S. Secret Service, Washington, D.C.  
1 - USA, Memphis, Tennessee  
1 - U.S. Secret Service,  
Memphis, Tennessee

Report of: SA [REDACTED] 674 Office: Memphis  
Date: August 1, 1974

Field Office File #: 9-1778

Bureau File #: 9-57306

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;  
THREAT IN LETTER POSTMARKED  
SELMER, TENNESSEE, 38375,  
2/20/74,  
AGAINST SUPREME COURT

Character: EXTORTION

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Synopsis: [REDACTED], U.S. Supreme Court PD, Washington, D.C. advised letter given to him by unrecalled individual and later turned over to U.S. Secret Service. No additional letters received by the court containing threats against members. [REDACTED] COP, [REDACTED] and Sheriff [REDACTED] could furnish no additional information regarding this matter. USA, THOMAS F. TURLEY, JR., Memphis, Tenn., advised he believes FBI has conducted sufficient investigation in this matter and he does not desire any additional investigation.

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DETAILS:

WFO 9-3365

JK:cmr

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The following investigation was conducted in Washington, D.C. by SA [REDACTED] on June 13, 1974:

[REDACTED] United States Supreme Court Police Department, 1st Street, N.E., stated that he has been unable to determine who the initial secretary was that received the letter addressed to the Supreme Court, postmarked Selmer, Tennessee, February 20, 1974. The original letter was given to him by an unrecalled individual and the original letter was then turned over to the U.S. Secret Service. This letter was initialed by Special Agent [REDACTED] of the Secret Service. There are no other letters, especially typewritten letters, critical of or threatening members of the Supreme Court that have been received from this area and Tennessee recently. [REDACTED] stated that he will advise the FBI if this happens. [REDACTED] also stated that the Supreme Court Justices are not aware of the threat contained in this particular letter. He requested that they not be advised of this since it is the standard operating procedure not to advise the Justices of unsigned crank letters which are received quite often.

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WMP/nkt  
ME 9-1778

The following investigation was conducted by  
SA [REDACTED] on dates indicated:

On July 9, 1974, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised that he knows of  
no one residing in McNairy County who would be a logical  
suspect in this matter.

On July 9, 1974, Chief of Police [REDACTED]  
Selmer, Tennessee Police Department and Sheriff  
[REDACTED] McNairy County, both advised that they  
have received no additional information regarding this  
matter since last contacted.

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On July 8, 1974, United States Attorney  
THOMAS F. TURLEY, JR., Memphis, Tennessee, advised that  
he desired that [REDACTED], Selmer, Tennessee,  
be contacted. Mr. TURLEY stated that if the contact  
with [REDACTED] is negative, he is of the opinion that  
sufficient investigation has been conducted and that he  
does not desire any additional investigation in this  
matter.

FBI

Date: 8/11/75

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
(ATTN: FBI LABORATORY)

FROM: SAC, WFO (9-3757)(P)

[REDACTED]  
U.S. SUPREME COURT-VICTIM  
EXT  
(OO:SL)

Enclosed for the Bureau is the original and three xerox copies of a threatening letter, envelope, and brochure addressed to the U.S. Supreme Court.

Enclosed for St. Louis are two copies of letter, envelope, and brochure.

The threat states that if the Supreme Court does not stop abortion then they will be killed.

The Bureau has instructed that this matter must receive vigorous and continuous attention until fully resolved. A Summary Teletype, from the Office of Origin, must reach the Bureau by Close of Business 8/17/75, immediately followed by an LHM from the Office of Origin, suitable for dissemination.

This material was received on 8/4/75 from the U.S. Secret Service, Intelligence Division, Washington, D. C. USSS has made a check of their name and visual files of previously submitted letters with negative results.

3- Bureau (Encls. 4)  
2- St. Louis (Encls. 2)  
2- WFO

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RWS:em  
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SEP 24 1975

AUG 12 1975

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_

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Per \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. Government Printing Office: 1972-455-574

"COPY AND SPECIMENS RETAINED IN LAB"

UNREC COPY AND COPY OF ENCL FILED IN 62-109276-

WFO 9-3757

U.S. Supreme Court Police Department will notify appropriate agencies covering Supreme Court member's homes.

USSS is not conducting an investigation to further identify the unknown subject so that it can be determined if he is a danger to government dignitaries protected by them.

On 8/6/75, SA [REDACTED] advised the following individuals of the threat:

1074 [REDACTED] U.S. Supreme Court Police Department.  
[REDACTED] Intelligence Division MPD,  
Washington, D. C.

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

The Laboratory Division is requested to search this material through the Anonymous Letter File and conduct other appropriate examination. Laboratory furnish results expeditiously to Office of Origin.

Identification Division is requested to process material for latent fingerprints. Furnish results expeditiously to the Office of Origin.

LEADS

ST. LOUIS

AT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI. Present to United States Attorney for prosecutive opinion.

2. Notify local authorities and local USSS Office.

3. Submit summary teletype to Bureau by Close of Business 8/17/75, immediately followed by LHM (or report if appropriate) suitable for dissemination. Ensure WFO furnished copy so USSS Headquarters may be advised if United States Attorney authorizes.

WASHINGTON FIELD

AT WASHINGTON, D. C. Telephonically notify USSS of prosecutive opinion of United States Attorney upon receipt of same from Office of Origin.

RECORDED  
8/18/78  
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

To: SAC, Washington Field Office (9-3787)

NO LAB FILE  
LATENT

FBI FILE NO.

LAB. NO.

YOUR NO.

Re: [REDACTED]  
U.S. SUPREME COURT - VICTIM;  
EXTORTION

Examination by: [REDACTED]

Examination requested by:

Washington Field Office

Reference:

Airtel dated 8/11/78

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received:

8/13/78

Evid to LFP 8/18 for exam & return to WFO

Received by LFP

8-18-78

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68-44-1000

AUG 15 1978

Q1 Envelope postmarked "U.S. POSTAL SERVICE PM  
JUL 1975" bearing handwritten address  
"States United, / supreme Court Washington D.C.  
20510 C/O White House"

Q2 Sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten message  
beginning "Supreme Court Will you Please have..."

Q3 Sheet torn out of magazine bearing handwritten  
MESSAGE message beginning "Shame you will..."

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XXXXXX  
XXXXXXFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
FOIPA DELETED PAGE INFORMATION SHEET5

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☒ Deleted under exemption(s) b7c with no segregable material available for release to you.

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

To: **SAC, Washington Field Office (9-3757)**

**August 19, 1975**

From: **Director, FBI**

**EX 104**

**REC-45**

**FBI FILE NO.**

**LAB. NO.**

**D-750813003 AX**

Re:

**U.S. SUPREME COURT - VICTIM;  
EXTORTION**

**OO: St. Louis**

Examination requested by:

**Washington Field Office**

Reference:

**Airtel dated August 11, 1975**

Examination requested:

**Document - Fingerprint**

Remarks:

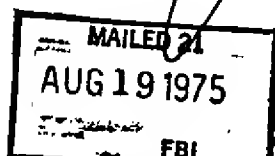
**You will be advised separately regarding the  
latent fingerprint examination and return of the  
submitted evidence.**

**Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)**

**2 - St. Louis - Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)**

**JPC/hmw  
(6)**

**200 5 2 3-10-132**



**58 SEP 25 1975**

**ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE**

**TELETYPE UNIT**

**② [REDACTED]  
① [REDACTED]  
5648**

REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Washington Field Office (9-3757)

August 19, 1975

FBI FILE NO.

D-750813003 AX  
LAB. NO.Re: **U.S. SUPREME COURT - VICTIM;  
EXTORTION**

Specimens received August 13, 1975

- Q1 Envelope postmarked "U.S. POSTAL SERVICE \_\_\_\_\_ PM  
JUL 1975" bearing handwritten address  
"States United, / supreme Court Washington D.C.  
20510 C/O White House"
- Q2 Sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten message  
beginning "Supreme Court Will you Please have ..."
- Q3 Sheet torn out of magazine bearing handwritten  
message beginning "Shame you will ..."

## Result of examination:

Q1 through Q3 were not identified with any of  
the material in the Anonymous Letter File. Appropriate  
photographs will be added to this file.

No watermarks, indented writings, or other  
significant features were noted which would indicate  
the immediate source of Q1 through Q3.

Q1 through Q3 were photographed and will be  
returned separately.

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8/18/75  
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

To: SAC, Washington Field Office (9-3757)

NO LAB FILE  
LATENT

FBI FILE NO.

LAB. NO. D-750813003 AX

Re: [REDACTED]  
U.S. SUPREME COURT - VICTIM;  
EXTORTION

YOUR NO.

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Examination by:

Examination requested by: Washington Field Office

Reference: Airtel dated 8/11/75

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: 8/13/75

*no ident ALF  
known, indent writing of other sig diaries to indicate inner source  
files ret via LFPS*

*ALF searched 8-18-75  
3E 4mo + DC (#)  
3D (#)*

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cc St Louis

*Lab report  
8-19-75  
JEC/HMW*

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*to LFPS 8/18*

- Q1 Envelope postmarked "U.S. POSTAL SERVICE \_\_\_\_\_ PM  
\_\_\_\_\_ JUL 1975" bearing handwritten address  
"States United, / supreme Court Washington D.C.  
20510 C/O White House"
- Q2 Sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten message  
beginning "Supreme Court Will you Please have..."
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message beginning "Shame you will..."

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

AUG 15 1975

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| Spec. Inv.     | _____ |
| Training       | _____ |
| Legal Coun.    | _____ |
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| Director Sec'y | _____ |

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231PM URGENT 8/15/75 MSM

TO DIRECTOR

WASHINGTON FIELD (9-3757)

FROM ST. LOUIS (9-2505) (P)  
UNITED STATES

U.S. SUPREME COURT - VICTIM; EXTORTION. OO: WFO.

REFERENCE WFO AIRTEL TO DIRECTOR, AUGUST 11, 1975.

INDICES, ST. LOUIS, NEGATIVE REGARDING [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], U.S. SECRET SERVICE, NOTIFIED AND HAS NO RECORD, ST. LOUIS.

[REDACTED]

EX 103

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9-60065-2

IT IS TO BE NOTED LETTER MAILED TO SUPREME COURT WAS POSTMARKED  
IN DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA AND RECEIVED SAME DISTRICT, MAKING NO VENUE  
AVAILABLE TO ST. LOUIS AND, THEREFORE, NOT BEING PRESENTED  
ATTORNEY, EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI.

AUG 19 1975

WFO ASSUME ORIGIN AND SUBMIT LHM.

ST. LOUIS CONTINUING EFFORTS TO LOCATE [REDACTED]

END

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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3:53PM URGENT 8-19-75 KLS

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Dep. A.D. - Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Spec. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Training \_\_\_\_\_  
Legal Coun. \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Rm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Director Sec'y \_\_\_\_\_

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
SAC, ST. LOUIS (9-2505)

FROM: SAC, WFO (9-3757) (P)

[REDACTED] UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT - VICTIM  
EXTORTION, OO:ST. LOUIS

RE WFO AIRTEL TO DIRECTOR, AUGUST 11, 1975.

RE ST. LOUIS TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR AND WFO, AUGUST 15,

REC 68

FOR INFORMATION ST. LOUIS THREATENING LETTER FROM

[REDACTED] ADDRESSED TO U.S. SUPREME COURT WAS POST MARKED

"UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE NO 630". ACCORDING TO U.S.

POSTAL INSPECTION SERVICE, WASHINGTON, D.C. (WDC), THIS

POST MARK MEANS THAT THE LETTER WAS MAILED FROM FLORISSANT,

MISSOURI. OTHER POST MARKS ON ENVELOPE SHOW RECEIPT AT

WDC ON JULY 21, 1975.

ST. LOUIS REASSUME ORIGIN AND COVER LEAD AS SET  
OUT IN REFERENCED AIRTEL.

END.

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58 SEP 5 1975

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# FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

## REPORT

of the

### IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

#### LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-3757

August 21, 1975

FBI FILE NO.

LATENT CASE NO.

B-16629

TO:

SAC, WFO

RE:

**U. S. SUPREME COURT - VICTIM**  
**EXTORTION**

REFERENCE:

Airtel 8-11-75

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY:

WFO

SPECIMENS:

Envelope, Q1

Sheet of paper, Q2

Sheet torn out of magazine, Q3

No latent prints of value developed on  
 enclosed specimens, which are further described in  
 separate Laboratory report.

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AUG 22 1975

Assoc. Dir. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Dep. AD Adm. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Dep. AD Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Asst. Dir.:

Admin. \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Telephone Rm. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Director Sec'y \_\_\_\_\_

Enc. (3)

2 - St. Louis

CC: b1c

(6) B1c

*Clarence M. Kelley*  
 Clarence M. Kelley, Director

58 SEP 1 1975

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
Recorded 8/19/75, 3:40 p.m. tao  
Laboratory Work Sheet

Received 8/19/75

To: SAC, Washington Field Office (9-3757)

NO LAB FILE  
LATENT

FBI FILE NO.

9-600654

LAB. NO.

D-750813003 AX

YOUR NO.

LC #B-16629

Re: [REDACTED]  
U.S. SUPREME COURT - VICTIM;  
EXTORTION

Examination by:

Examination requested by:

Washington Field Office

Noted By:

Reference:

Airtel dated 8/11/75

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received:

8/13/75

Rec'd I a n/a 8/19/75  
name to CI 8/19/75

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Specs total herewith

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- Q1 Envelope postmarked "U.S. POSTAL SERVICE \_\_\_\_\_ PM  
JUL 1975; bearing handwritten address  
"States United, / supreme Court Washington D.C.  
20510 C/O White House"
- Q2 Sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten message  
beginning "Supreme Court Will you Please have..."
- Q3 Sheet torn out of magazine bearing handwritten  
message beginning "Shame you will..."

Page 2  
D-750813002 AX

Examination Completed

8/20/75  
Date

4PM Dictated  
Time

8/21  
Date

FBI

Date: 8/25/75

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_

(Type in plaintext or code)

Via \_\_\_\_\_

AIRTEL

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, ST. LOUIS (9-2505) (P)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]  
U.S. SUPREME COURT - VICTIM  
EXTORTION  
 OO: St. Louis

Re WFO airtel to Bureau 8/11/75, St. Louis teletype to Bureau and WFO 8/15/75, and WFO teletype to Bureau and St. Louis 8/19/75.

Enclosed for Bureau is original and one copy of LHM, with one copy of LHM for WFO.

AUSA MICHAEL W. REAP, EDMO, St. Louis, Missouri, on 8/25/75 viewed contents of letter and advised there appeared no definite threat, and he would decline prosecution as the letter failed to meet the guidelines of the Federal extortion statute. AUSA's opinion being confirmed by separate communication, and no report being submitted in captioned matter.

LEAD:WFOAT WASHINGTON, D.C.

Will furnish copy of LHM to U.S. Secret Service, Washington, D.C.

1-4353  
8/27/75  
WN/KS  
② - Bureau (Enc. 2)  
2 - WFO (Enc. 1) (9-3757)  
2 - St. Louis  
WRP/lsh  
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57 SEP 11 1975

Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

St. Louis, Missouri

August 25, 1975

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

U.S. SUPREME COURT - VICTIM  
EXTORTION

67C  
On August 4, 1975, U.S. Secret Service, Intelligence Division, Washington, D.C., made available to the Federal Bureau of Investigation a letter directed to the U.S. Supreme Court, Washington, D.C., postmarked "U.S. Postal Service MO 630", bearing return address of [REDACTED] St. Louis, Missouri. The handwritten letter is as follows:

"Supreme Court

"Will you Please have a Printed Page that you have stoped abortion If you let those Murderers keep on Murdering you will be killed.

"Also you won't have a job as you are Murdering all the babies and who will you have to convict or no court.

"Also the other People can vote that is useful to our country. Let me read where you are stoping or abolishing abortion. Notice those Poor little babies where they are Murdered. Don't you have a consicience?"

67C  
D  
This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

9-60065-5

67C  
[REDACTED]  
U.S. SUPREME COURT - VICTIM

67C  
D [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]. Records of the  
Federal Bureau of Investigation Office at St. Louis contain  
no record regarding [REDACTED]

67C  
On August 15, 1975, the name of [REDACTED] and  
the contents of the letter were made known to [REDACTED]  
U.S. Secret Service, St. Louis, Missouri. [REDACTED] advised  
their office at St. Louis contains no record of [REDACTED]

On August 25, 1975, Assistant United States Attorney  
Michael W. Reap, Eastern District of Missouri, St. Louis,  
viewed contents of the letter, and advised there appeared  
no definite threat, and he would decline prosecution as the  
letter failed to meet the guidelines of the Federal extortion  
statute.

FBI

Date:

9/5/75

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_

(Type in plaintext or code)

Via \_\_\_\_\_

AIRTEL

(Priority) \_\_\_\_\_

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| Assoc. Dir.    | _____ |
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| Dep. AD-Inv.   | _____ |
| Asst. Dir.:    | _____ |
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| Ext. Affs.     | _____ |
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| Director Sec'y | _____ |

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO (9-3757)(PUC)

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U.S. SUPREME COURT - VICTIM  
EXTORTION  
(OO:SL)

Re St. Louis airtel to WFO dated 8/25/75.

On 9/4/75 [REDACTED], Intelligence Division,  
District Two, U.S. Secret Service was advised of the prosecu-  
tive opinion of AUSA MICHAEL W. REAP, EDMO, in this matter.

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SEP 16 1975

2 - Bureau  
2 - St. Louis (9-2505)  
1 - WFO

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_

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Per \_\_\_\_\_

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FBI

## TRANSMIT VIA:

☐ Teletype  
☐ Facsimile  
☒ AIRTEL

## PRECEDENCE:

☐ Immediate  
☐ Priority  
☐ Routine

## CLASSIFICATION:

☐ TOP SECRET  
☐ SECRET  
☐ CONFIDENTIAL  
☐ UNCLAS E F T O  
☐ UNCLAS

Date 6/24/82

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI ATTN: FBI LABORATORY DOCUMENT SECTION

FROM: SAC, WFO (9A-4791) (P)

UNSUB;

Threat Against the United States Supreme CourtEXTORTION

(OO:NY)

20628005

Re WFO teletype to Bureau, 6/23/82.

Enclosed for Bureau is 1 original envelope addressed to United States Supreme Court and postmarked 6/18/82; 1 original threat letter signed "try escaping me fast."

Enclosed for New York are copies of the above.

For information of the Laboratory, the above threat letter was received by the Supreme Court on 6/21/82 and provided to the FBI on 6/23/82.

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

Document Section is requested to compare the enclosed letter with other threat letters on file. Latent Fingerprint Section is requested to process enclosed letter and envelope for latent prints. Results of above request should be provided to office of origin.

ARMED & DANGEROUS

DE-37 N9-66157-1

16 JUN 25 1982

2-Bureau (Enc. 2)  
 2-New York (Enc. 2)  
 1-WFO

JNS:pep (5)

Approved: TMG/jm

Transmitted

(Number)

(Time)

55 AUG 20 1982

REPORT  
of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Washington Field Office (9A-4791)

July 8, 1982

FBI FILE NO.

LAB. NO.

20628005 D UZ

Re: UNSUB;  
Threat Against the United States  
Supreme Court;  
EXTORTION

Examination requested by: Washington Field Office

Reference: Communication dated June 24, 1982

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: June 28, 1982

Specimens:

Q1 Envelope postmarked "U.S. POSTAL SERVICE, NY 115  
HI PM 18 JUN 1982," bearing typewritten address  
"UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT WASHINGTON, D.C. 20543"

Q2 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning  
"I WAS SENT TO PRISON..."

Result of examination:

Specimens Q1 and Q2 were searched through the appropriate sections of the Anonymous Letter File without effecting an identification. Appropriate copies have been added to this file for future reference.

No watermarks, indented writing of significance or other identifying characteristics were observed when examining specimens Q1 and Q2 which would indicate the immediate possible source of these specimens.

2 - New York

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53 AUG 20 1982

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FBI/DOJ

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The questioned typewriting on specimens Q1 and Q2 has a horizontal spacing of 2.35mm per character and closely resembles the Laboratory standards for a Brother style of type.

Specimens Q1 and Q2 will be returned separately with the results of the requested latent fingerprint examination. These specimens were photographed and copies are being retained.



RECORDED

6/28/82

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6/28/82

LATENT

JUL 2 P.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

## Laboratory Work Sheet

To: SAC, Washington Field Office (9A-4791)

FBI FILE NO.

9-66757-2

LAB. NO.

20628005 0 UZ

YOUR NO.

Re: UNSUB;  
Threat Against the United States  
Supreme Court;  
EXTORTION

Examination by:

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7-2-82/9  
all notes over/

Examination requested by: Washington Field Office

Reference: Communication dated June 24, 1982

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: June 28, 1982

## Specimens:

Q1 Envelope postmarked "U.S. POSTAL SERVICE, NY 115  
HI PM 18 JUN 1982," bearing typewritten address  
"UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT WASHINGTON, D.C. 20543"Q2 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning  
"I WAS SENT TO PRISON..."P, Q, & Q<sub>2</sub> L.I.O. ALF. (Copies added.)P<sub>2</sub> No watermarks, IW say or other I.P. then also.  
when same Q, & Q<sub>2</sub> indicate immediate possible source.P<sub>3</sub> QTW Q<sub>1</sub> + Q<sub>2</sub> 2.35mm per char slantless Brother style  
of type.P<sub>4</sub> Q, & Q<sub>2</sub> set w/LEP. Photo taken 7-2-82

2 - New York

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7/8/82

Civ. Mail

BROTHER (J)

Formule

2.35  
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FBI Typewriter Standards File

Modèle : ELECTRIC 3000 (électrique & portable)

Fabricant : BROTHER (J)

Hauteur du "M" : 2,55 mm

Lieu de fabrication : NAGOYA (J)

Hauteur du "u" : 1,90 mm

Année : 1973

Motion : 6,6 mm

Matricule : K 1725229

Largeur max papier : 247 mm

Type de caractères : ELITE

Type de clavier : Français

Fabrique de caractères : Brother (J)

Interlignes : 4,25 & 6,37 mm

CLAVIER : 11 22 33 44 55 66 77 88 99 && °° ff

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1°interligne : peux-tu m'envoyer de ce bon vieux whisky, comme celui que j'ai  
bu chez françois le frère du forgeron du village.

2°interligne : PEUX-TU M'ENVOYER DE CE BON VIEUX WHISKY, COMME CELUI QUE J'AI  
BU CHEZ FRANCOIS LE FRERE DU FORGERON DU VILLAGE.

27-6-1974

Fiche n° 1183

**Evidence Files Searched**

|                        | Section(s)<br>Searched | Date<br>Searched                                       | Section(s)<br>Added | Date<br>Added |
|------------------------|------------------------|--|---------------------|---------------|
| Art                    |                        |  |                     |               |
| Bank Robbery Note File |                        |  |                     |               |
| Motor Vehicle Title    |                        |  |                     |               |
| Anonymous Letter File: | T/W 2.35 (NII)<br>2.36 | 6/29/82  | T/W -<br>2.35 161B  | 7/14/82       |
| Motive                 | Hate                   | Typewriter Information:                                |                     |               |
| State(s)               |                        | 2.35-2.36 spacing - resembles<br>Brother style of type |                     |               |
| VIP                    | - Supreme Court        |  |                     |               |
| Bombing                |                        |  | 2.36 162B)          |               |
| Other                  |                        |  | 2.35 161B           |               |

**Standards Files Searched**

|                    | Date<br>Searched |
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| Tire Tread         |                  |
| Shoe Print         |                  |
| Typewriter         |                  |
| Watermark          |                  |
| Office Copier      |                  |
| Safety Paper       |                  |
| Computer Print Out |                  |

Remarks:

9-66237 } called

9-66496 } (ALF)

no W/M or T/W noted Q1-Q2

Examiner's Name [REDACTED]Date 6/29/82Lab # 20628005

## Recognition Section:

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## National Fraudulent Check File

Date  
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| _____ | _____ | Signature Section                                  |
| _____ | _____ | Company Name File                                  |
| _____ | _____ | Checkwriter Section - Classified as _____          |
| _____ | _____ | Gimmick Section                                    |
| _____ | _____ | Master Check Section                               |
| _____ | _____ | Counterfeit Travelers Checks                       |
| _____ | _____ | Counterfeit Money Orders                           |
| _____ | _____ | Counterfeit Checks                                 |
| _____ | _____ | Altered Travelers Checks                           |
| _____ | _____ | Altered Money Orders                               |
| _____ | _____ | Raised Bank Checks                                 |
| _____ | _____ | Checks prepared with False "Certified" Impressions |
| _____ | _____ | Checks prepared with Press-On Letters              |

## Stolen Money Orders &amp; Travelers Checks Section:

Travelers Checks - Type

# From

To #

Money Orders - Type

Photographed: llmDate: 6/29/82Roll #: #65

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

## Laboratory Work Sheet

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To: SAC, Washington Field Office (9A-4791)

FBI FILE NO.

9-66757-2

LAB. NO.

20628005 3 UZ

YOUR NO.

Re: UNSUB;  
Threat Against the United States  
Supreme Court;  
EXTORTION

Examination by:

Examination requested by:

Washington Field Office

Reference:

Communication dated June 24, 1982

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received:

June 28, 1982

## Specimens:

- Q1 Envelope postmarked "U.S. POSTAL SERVICE, NY 115  
HI PM 13 JUN 1982," bearing typewritten address  
"UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT WASHINGTON, D.C. 20543"
- Q2 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning  
"I WAS SENT TO PRISON..."

L.F.P.S. will process & return Q1 & Q2  
7-2-82Spec's ret  
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Jmc.

#65

JUN 29 1982

2 - New York

I WAS SENT TO PRISON AS THE RESULT OF YOUR SICK AND UNDYING LOVE FOR NELSON ROCKEFELLER. WHILE I WAS IN PRISON AT THE METROPOLITAN CORRECTIONAL CENTER RELIABLE SOURCES TOLD ME THAT YOU KEPT ME IN PRISON FAR LONGER THAN NECESSARY BECAUSE YOU WERE DELIBERATELY TRYING TO IRRITATE AND PROVOKE ME. THEY SHOWED ME A PHOTOGRAPH OF YOUR MISERABLE LESBIAN BITCH WHO ACTS AS YOUR SECRETARY WHO DISCARDED ALL THE LETTERS THAT I PAINSTAKINGLY SENT TO THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT. BY THE TIME YOU RECEIVE THIS LETTER - TOGETHER WITH MY GUN - I WILL BE THIS CLOSE TO YOU AND YOUR MISERABLE LESBIAN BITCH SECRETARY.

TRY ESCAPING ME FAST

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6/22/82



UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20543

20628005 D UZ Q1



Division and OCP

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20628005 D UZ Q1  
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LABORATORY



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R 23234Z JUN 82

FM: FBI, WASHINGTON FIELD (9A-4791) (P) (C-4)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI ROUTINE

ATTENTION: PERSONAL CRIMES UNIT

ADIC, NEW YORK ROUTINE

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UNSUB: THREAT AGAINST THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT

EXTORTION, OO: NEW YORK.

ON JUNE 23, 1982, [REDACTED] U. S. SUPREME COURT POLICE, WASHINGTON, D. C. (WDC), PROVIDED A LETTER AND ENVELOPE RECEIVED BY U. S. SUPREME COURT ON JUNE 21, 1982. IN THE LETTER, THE WRITER STATED, "BY THE TIME YOU RECEIVE THIS LETTER TOGETHER WITH MY GUN-I WILL BE THIS CLOSE TO YOU AND YOUR MISEPABLE LESBIAN BITCH SECRETARY". THE WRITER INDICATED IN THE LETTER THAT HE HAD BEEN INCARCERATED AT METROPOLITAN CORRECTIONAL CENTER. THE ENVELOPE WAS POSTMARKED JUNE 18, 1982, AT NEW YORK.

COPY OF LETTER AND ENVELOPE WILL BE FORWARDED TO NEW YORK JUN 25 1982

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RECEIVED  
TELETYPE UNIT

24 JUN 82 0118

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| Rec. Mgmt.                   |  |
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| Telephone Rm.                |  |
| Director's Sec'y             |  |

PAGE TWO , DE WF 0035 U N C L A S

VIA FASCIMILE. ORIGINAL LETTER AND ENVELOPE WILL BE FORWARDED  
TO FBI LABORATORY VIA AIRTEL.

LEAD. NEW YORK DIVISION. AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. WILL  
CONDUCT LOGICAL INVESTIGATION.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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# FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

## REPORT

of the

## LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

YOUR FILE NO. 9A-4791 (P)  
FBI FILE NO.  
LATENT CASE NO. C-12846

August 13, 1982

TO: SAC, WFO

RE: UNSUB.;  
THREAT AGAINST THE UNITED  
STATES SUPREME COURT  
EXTORTION

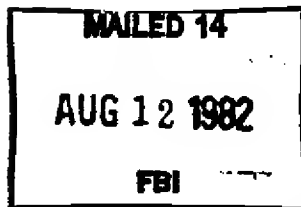
REFERENCE: Airtel 6/24/82  
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: WFO  
SPECIMENS: Envelope, Q1  
Typewritten letter, Q2

No latent prints of value developed on the enclosed specimens, which are further described in a separate Laboratory report.

Enc. (2)

2 - New York

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

## Laboratory Work Sheet

Recorded 7-7-82

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Received 7-2-82

To: SAC, Washington Field Office (9A-4791) (P)

FBI FILE NO.

LAB. NO. 20628005 B UZ

YOUR NO.

LC# C-12846

Examination by:

Noted By:

Examination requested by: Washington Field Office

Reference: Airtel dated June 24, 1982

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: June 28, 1982

## Specimens:

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HI PM 18 JUN 1982," bearing typewritten address  
"UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT WASHINGTON, D.C. 20543"
- Q2 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning  
"I WAS SENT TO PRISON..."

*Forwarded L & Rm*  
*Forwarded S.D. & destroyed*  
*no ltr*  
*Spec. em.*  
*Enc. (2)*

2 - New York

Examination Completed

time

date

Dictated

date

FBI/DOJ

ANS'D 8-13-82  
TRW:mog  
1-204/10

FBI

## TRANSMIT VIA:

☐ Teletype  
☐ Facsimile  
☒ Airtel

## PRECEDENCE:

☐ Immediate  
☐ Priority  
☐ Routine

## CLASSIFICATION: -

☐ TOP SECRET  
☐ SECRET  
☐ CONFIDENTIAL  
☐ UNCLAS E F T O  
☐ UNCLAS

Date 9/7/82

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
 FROM: SAC, WFO (9A-4791) (P) (C-4)

UNSUB; U.S.  
 THREAT AGAINST THE UNITED-  
 STATES SUPREME COURT;  
 EXTORTION;  
 (OO:NY)

ReWFOtel to Bureau, dated 6/23/82.

On 9/7/82, [REDACTED], U.S. Supreme Court  
 Police, WDC, contacted FBI-WFO and requested the status of the  
 investigation regarding captioned case.

LEADNEW YORKAT NEW YORK, NEW YORK

Will advise WFO of status of current investigation.

SEP 14 1982

2-Bureau  
 2-New York  
 1-WFO

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Approved: TMG/jm

Transmitted

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(Time)

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# FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

## REPORT

of the

## LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

YOUR FILE NO. 92-4840 (R)  
FBI FILE NO.  
LATENT CASE NO. C-15133

October 20, 1982

TO: SAC, WFO

RE:

**RECEIVED AGAINST U.S. SUPREME COURT  
EXTORTION**

REFERENCE: Airtel 9/8/82  
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: WFO  
SPECIMENS:

Q1, envelope  
Q2 and Q3, first and second pages of a two-page letter

The result of the laboratory examination is set forth in a separate report.

One latent fingerprint of value was developed on Q2. No latent prints of value were developed on the remaining specimens.

No fingerprint record could be located in the Identification Division files for [REDACTED]

The specimens are enclosed.

Enc. (3)

2 - Baltimore

DATE: dlt:dlt

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

9/9/82

**LATENT**

RECORDED: 9/22/82

TRL RECEIVED: 9/21/82

To: SAC, Washington Field Office (9A-4840) (P)

NOTE: SPECIAL

FBI FILE NO.

LAB. NO. 20909071 D VK

YOUR NO.

LC#C-15133

Examination by:

Noted by:

Re:

Threat Against U. S. Supreme Court;  
EXTORTION

Examination requested by: Washington Field Office

Reference: Communication dated September 8, 1982, Airtel

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: September 9, 1982

**Specimen:**

- Q1 Envelope postmarked "PRINCE GEORGES, MD 207 PM 25 AUG 1982," bearing typewritten address "All Judges on the United States Supreme Court Supreme Court Building Washington, D.C. 20001"
- Q2 First page of accompanying two-page letter bearing typewritten message beginning "From: [REDACTED]"
- Q3 Second page beginning "that I have a trust...", signed [REDACTED]

9/23/82

Spec's pro'd min - steamed - Q2 + Q3 to photo

2 - Baltimore

10/14/82

1 lat fpt of mal dev'd min on Q2

No lat pte dev'd on remaining spec's

Examination completed 10:40 AM

Time

Date

OVER

Dictated 10/15/82

Date

answd 10-20-82  
REC: dcl  
FBI/DOJ

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## TRANSMIT VIA:

☐ Teletype  
☐ Facsimile  
☒ AIRTEL

## PRECEDENCE:

☐ Immediate  
☐ Priority  
☐ Routine

## CLASSIFICATION:

☐ TOP SECRET  
☐ SECRET  
☐ CONFIDENTIAL  
☐ UNCLAS E F T O  
☐ UNCLAS

Date 12/20/82

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
 FROM: SAC, WFO (SA-4791) (P)

UNSUB;  
 THREAT AGAINST THE UNITED  
 STATES SUPREME COURT  
 EXTORTION  
 (OO:NY)

Re WFO teletype to Bureau dated 6/23/82; WFO airtel  
 to Bureau dated 9/7/82.

In referenced airtel, WFO requested status of current  
 investigation. To date, WFO has not received a  
 communication from New York Division.

LEAD:NEW YORK

AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. Will advise WFO of results  
 of investigation in order that U.S. Supreme Court Police can be  
 advised.

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2-Bureau  
 2-New York  
 1-WFO

16 DEC 21 1982

JNS:pep 59 JAN 11 1983

Approved: *[Signature]*

Transmitted

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